

Second Annual Barbara Meyers Pelson '59 Lecture in Faculty-Student Engagement

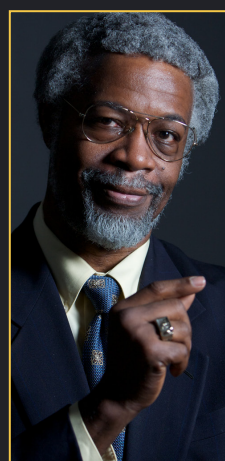
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In the Supreme Court case *A. Fisher v. the University of Texas*, Chief Justice John Roberts asked, “What unique perspective does a minority student bring to a physics class?” This presentation gives a response.

Tuesday, March 21, 2017
12:30 p.m.

Mildred and Ernest E. Mayo Concert Hall
Reception to follow



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Dr. Gates is the author of more than 200 research papers, is a member of the National Academy of Sciences, and received the National Medal of Science from President Obama in 2013. In addition to his pioneering work in theoretical physics, Dr. Gates is a strong, national advocate for diversity in science, technology, engineering and mathematics education.